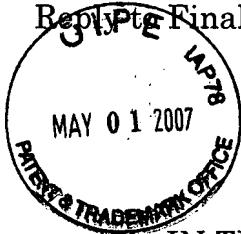


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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated February 2, 2007. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are identified in list starting on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.